GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
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CURTAILMENT OF WASTEFUL EXPENDITURE
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Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether his ministry has identified any sectors of his ministry/departments in which wasteful expenditure is maximum;;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the quantum of wasteful expenditure identified therein during each of the last three years; and

(d) the steps taken so far to curtail/stop such expenditure?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (PROF. CHAMAN LAL GUPTA)

(a) to (d): No instance of wasteful expenditure incurred in the Ministry of Food Processing Industries has been brought to the notice of the Ministry. At the time of formulation of budgetary proposals, strict control is exercised, to eliminate unproductive expenditure. After receipt of funds, strict financial control is exercised so that no wasteful expenditure is incurred.